



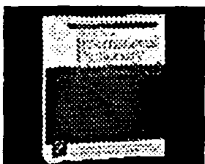
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Main Entry: **terminal**

Function: *noun*

Date: 1831

1 : a part that forms the end : **EXTREMITY**,
TERMINATION

2 : a **terminating** usually ornamental detail : **FINIAL**

3 : a device attached to the end of a wire or cable or
to an electrical apparatus for convenience in making
connections

4 a : either end of a carrier line having facilities for
the handling of freight and passengers **b** : a freight
or passenger station that is central to a considerable
area or serves as a junction at any point with other
lines **c** : a town or city at the end of a carrier line :
TERMINUS

5 : a combination of a keyboard and output device
(as a video display unit) by which data can be
entered into or output from a computer or electronic
communications system

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